**Review of HE student destinations and outcomes data:**

**Third working group meeting**

**Monday 22 February 2016, 11.00am**

**Finlaison House, London, EC4A 1AB**

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# Governing DLHE

DLHE is currently ‘owned’ by HESA on behalf of the whole HE sector. *De facto* governance of the survey has been through the record review process. While flexible, this could appear to be a relatively informal or *ad hoc* process for a survey of this size – the largest in the UK after the Census. A major undertaking like DLHE arguably ought to be managed on a formal (or to use yet more Latin, *de jure*) basis, through a committee of some kind, with responsibility for oversight and control.

Three potential options present themselves:

1. Everything is fine, keep on as we are.
2. Establish an entirely independent ‘steering group’ comprised of the survey’s funders and principal users.
3. Establish a ‘steering group’ within the HEDIIP New Landscape design.

There may be other options. The working group are invited to consider how this would best be presented as an item for consultation.

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